State of Washington

Roadmap for Financial and Administrative Policies, Processes and Systems

Advisory Group Working Session





Today's agenda

	Agenda item	Presenter	Time
1	Welcome	Sadie Rodriguez- Hawkins	5 min
2	Project update, communications	Robin Madsen	5 min
3	BC Payment review process	Shyrl Kennedy, BC Ministry of Finance	45 min
4	Integration architecture: foundation concepts	Scott Came	15 min
5	Review draft modeling bold change ideas	Robin Madsen Susan Dodson	25 min
6	Brainstorm how to broaden Roadmap participation	Dan Contris	20 min
7	Next steps / process check	Robin Madsen	5 min

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Appendices – Integration Architecture Strategy, decision-making principles and *Roadmap* business functions mapped to ERP solutions





Project Update, Communications

Robin Madsen, Eclipse Solutions





Post-Payment Review Office of the Comptroller General Province of BC

Shyrl Kennedy, Director,

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Payment Review Office and Corporate Operations Office of the Comptroller General, Ministry of Finance





Integration architecture: Foundation concepts

Scott Came, Enterprise Architect, DIS





Procure-to-Pay modeling status

Held as-is & could-be focus groups sessions for:

- Vendor information management
- Procurement management
- Contract management
- Accounts payable

Currently holding combined follow-up sessions:

- Create Procure-to-Pay vision for Washington State
- March 22 and March 30

80 business experts from 16 agencies (plus SAO)



Modeling recommendation "caveats"

Bold changes and recommendations are:

 Intended as a <u>starting point for discussion</u> rather than definitive solutions

Additional research and extensive stakeholder involvement will be required to:

- Establish the feasibility of each recommendation
- Recommend detailed policy revision language as necessary
- Support an executive level decision to move forward





1. Institute procurement reform

 Propose a comprehensive consolidation, standardization, and streamlining of state procurement law based on the American Bar Association's Model Procurement Code

Government procurement is often mired in laws, policies and processes that hinder or prevent success. Procurement reform is politically difficult, but it is worth it.

- Gartner, 2003

2. Implement shared services

 For targeted business processes such as accounts payable and procurement of common goods and services

3. Provide integrated systems and data





4. Enhance vendor information management

- Enable vendors to register to do business in and with
 Washington State through the One Stop Business Portal
- Centralize management of vendor status / performance

5. Enable vendor self-service and e-commerce

 Secure vendor/provider portal for receipt and submission of electronic documents and access to order and payment data (solicitations, responses, contracts, invoices, remittance data, etc.)

6. Authorize risk-based business processes

 Require reasonable assurance commensurate with risk rather than explicit evidence of authorization





- 7. Expedite and facilitate routine purchases
 - Shared catalog services for most readily available commercial items/services
- 8. Focus certified professionals on high-risk acquisitions
- 9. Optimize consumable inventories

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10. Adopt the NIGP commodity / service code structure





11. Adopt enterprise purchasing card policy

Provider certified by IRS to collect W9 data

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- Purchase data includes NIGP commodity details
- Enterprise clearing process for efficient review, coding, and payment of credit card invoices, integrated to state systems

12. Schedule and disburse <u>all</u> payments through A/P to optimize cash management

- Transfer most local funds to Treasurer
- Continue to manage client payments through agency systems but disburse through A/P

13. Pay by most cost effective method (e.g. EFT)



Procure-to-pay modeling Next steps

- Turn these bold ideas into policy, process, system, and data recommendations and implementation strategies
- Identify the business value for change and metrics for measuring results achieved
- Draft the Procure-to-Pay Value Proposition
 - Available on-line for your review mid-April
 - Presented for your approval at April 26 meeting



Broadening Roadmap participation

Audience	What	How	When	Who
OFM budget				
Legislative staff				
Additional agencies				

How do we incorporate others into the Roadmap process?



March expectations

Tasks	Expectations	Assigned to	Due Date
Submit response to Grant Management Value Proposition	 9 of 17 agencies have responded to date. If you haven't done so already, please send your response to Michelle French at Michelle.French@ofm.wa.gov. 	Advisory Group	ASAP
Review Procure-to Pay Value Proposition	 Come to April meeting ready to discuss recommendations. 	Advisory Group	April 26
Complete vendor, procurement, & payables management modeling	 Participate in business process modeling Phase II Check out the <i>Roadmap</i> Business Process Modeling website http://www.ofm.wa.gov/roadmap/modeling.htm 	Jan-June Advisory Group	Ongoing Ongoing
Develop integration architecture strategy	Continue developing the integration architecture strategy for the <i>Roadmap</i>	Enterprise Architecture Committee	1 st Wednesday of each month
Communicate	 Continue sharing the Roadmap plan and vision with agency managers and staff 	Advisory Group Working Team	Ongoing

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Next meeting: Wednesday, April 26, 1:30-3:30

OFM Point Plaza West Training Room





Process Check

Suggestions for improvements





Appendices

Roadmap Reference Slides:

- Integration architecture strategy
- Advisory Group decision making principles



Roadmap Integration Architecture Strategy

The integration architecture strategy will identify standards & guidelines that will allow the state to:

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- Implement the *Roadmap* incrementally, with confidence that components will fit together
- Accommodate agency-unique extensions where needed
- Help agencies plan how to integrate their core systems with new Roadmap systems over time

The Integration Architecture Steering Committee, jointly sponsored by DIS and the *Roadmap*, is defining the enterprise integration architecture strategy.





Roadmap Advisory Group Decision-making principles

Natural boundaries principle Should be designed around natural boundaries (adopted by the ISB November 2004)

- Rationale:
 - Achieving the ability to view state government as a single enterprise requires the ability to effectively
 integrate systems as needed. Systems with well defined, natural boundaries aid in integration.
- Implications:
 - In order to meet its mandate in a timely manner, the state will need to leverage and use all of its available resources including the existing environment.
 - Within the boundaries of an "Information System", tight coupling streamlines business processes.
 - Between "Information Systems", loose coupling allows open, plug and play approach.
 - Requires definitions of what is in and out of scope of statewide "Information Systems".
 - Requires enterprise-level business and data modeling.

Logical Sequence Principle Should sequence projects based on information needs

- Rationale:
 - Reduces risk of missing key functionality and rework
 - Captures the data needed for operations and performance management as part of the original transactions
- Implications:
 - May have to model lower-value business processes before potentially higher-value processes
- Examples:
 - · HRMS would have included financial requirements earlier





Roadmap Advisory Group Decision-making principles

Business Sponsorship Principle Should select projects with business sponsors for significant change

- Rationale:
 - Significant process change requires leadership and sponsorship at the highest levels
- Implications:
 - We should not proceed with new ideas if a committed business sponsor can't be identified
- Examples:
 - Identify business sponsor for using state credit cards for all travel expenses

Value Proposition Principle: Should have a measurable value proposition for change

Rationale:

Difficult to achieve change without a clear business return

Implications:

We should not promote policy, process, systems or information changes without a notable value for the enterprise

Example:

Prioritize process modeling work around valued projects such as TEMS, Enterprise Grants and Loans Management



Proposed Roadmap Business Processes Mapped to ERP Solutions

Based on Market Research as of 19 January 2006

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